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Sammy Perkins, the publisher of the Tacoma Ledger, has been accused by is not, however, in the practical symin double column black-type editorials pathy of outsiders that the brightest in double columns black-type editorials over the pages of the Seattle Times, but rather in the wonderful recuperatof having intruded without invitation live power of the people that have unupon the presidential party in Seattle. Sammy comes back by calling Blethen Among them there is no whining for a gibbering egoist, and declaring his help; they help themselves. Before sheet to be conducted by the "longest leased liar in the world."

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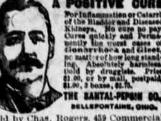
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